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⁶ For details, see corresponding footnote to Annex C(IB), OJ EPO 2002, 52 and 175, OJ EPO 2005, 149 and PCT Gazette No. 07/2005, page 4432.